

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Jacques ABRAINI et al.
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Examiner: Ernst V. ARNOLD
Docket No.: Serie 6132
Customer No.: 40582

**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION FILED
WITH REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed December 24, 2009 having a shortened Rule 116 statutory period for response set to expire on February 24, 2010, and an extended response set to expire on June 24, 2010 in view of the three month extension of time, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the present application in view of the following amendments and/or remarks/arguments:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.